



TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 10710/197
Serial No. 10/601,721	Filing Date June 23, 2003	Examiner To Be Assigned	Group Art Unit 3724
Inventor(s) Peot and Buck			
Title of Invention TABLE SAW GUARD ASSEMBLY			

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Status Inquiry; and White Acknowledgement Postcard.

Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Petition for a _____ month extension of time.

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Small Entity		Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
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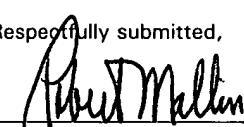
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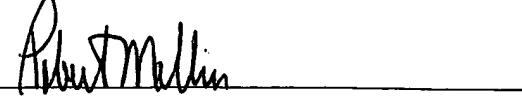
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In re Application of:)
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For TABLE SAW GUARD ASSEMBLY)

STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicants filed the above application on June 23, 2003, but have not yet received a first Office Action. Please advise the undersigned attorney as to when a first Office Action is expected to issue on this application.

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